CENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON: F. ALGAE, 11, Clement's Lane, to Lombard Street. GEORGE STERET, 30, GORDON & GOTCH 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATER HENDY & Co.

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AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, August 17, 1869. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE CO.

OTICE is hereby given that the Shares Nos. 136 to 145 have been placed hands of the Company FOR SALE. anii sealed tenders for the purchase oftone or more of the said Shares will be received that FRIDAY, the 27th instant. No Premia has been contributed by the present

By order of the Court of Directors, HERBERT'S MORBIS

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STAGRIOTEL."

His Establishment having been entirely Refurnished and much improved inters will now find it Replete with all the Comforts of any Hotel in the Celestial

WINES & SPIRITS. Being all imported by the Proprietor, are all of the best quality, some lo serent The Billiard Room contains two HARRIS'S Patent Iron TABLES,

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Constitution of 4 P.m. and midnight.

Hongkong, August 13, 1869.

Secretary.

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ILLIARD CLOTHS of the best quality, Hollakong, Atigust 18, 1869.

BILLIARD ROOM, LONDON: INN.

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By order of the Board of Directors, Wes of side ed ton Go Wy SNELLING Hongkong, August 9, 1869

#### New Advertisements.

n the supreme court of hong KONG IN BANKRUPTOY TOTICE.—Yuz Hop, trading under the firm name of Sam-mow, Bonbam

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the Creditors will be received. Frederick Sowley, Huffam, Kaquire, the Official Assignes, and Mr. Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Hongkopg, August 10, 1869.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF (HONGKONG, 140-480)

IN BANKRUPTOY

OTIOE,-RUSTOMYER DADABHOV. Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptoy, filed in the Supreme Court on the Militarith day of May, 1869, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last exemination, and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable Aulian Reuncefote, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, Houghong, on Fri day, the Twentieth day of August, 1869, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forencon

At this Meeting, proof of the Dehts of Frederick Sowley Huffam, Esquire, is the Official Assignee, and Mr Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Hongkong, July 6, 1869.

NOTICE TO MANUFACTURERS OF

ÆRATED WATERS. TAHE Undersigned have just received For Bale in quantities to mit purchasers. MORRIS & Co. Queen's Road

JEITHER Capt. SPARROW nor the Un Debts contracted by the officers or crew of

the American ship "Nightingale." AUGUSTINE, BEARD & Co. Hongkong, August 9, 1869. Jun Min au23

EITHER Capt. SCHMIDT or the Under signed will be Responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the N. Ship S. Adlera Solar State Solar Sol

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co., Agents N. G. Ship "Adler." Hongkong, July 19, 1869.

DENT & CO. WESTATE

THIRD DIVIDEND of Seven per centum upon the amount of all Claims admitted by the Trustees will be paid on the 25th September next of and On application at the Office of the Trustees, No. 7. Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be furnished with warrants signed by the Frustees which will be payable at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

PEARCE AND VINEY,

Late of Greville's Telegram Company. 39 WILLIAM STREET, MELBOURNE, TELEGRAPHIC, REPORTING, AND GENERAL AGENTS

AGENULES IN ALL THE COLONIES, At Galle, London, New York, &c.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

HE Market Circulars, prepared by the OHAMBER, will in future be issued late on the afternoon, of the day preceding he departures of the fortnightly P. & O. Mail Steamers. Subscribers are requested

Club Chambers, Hongkong, July 20, 1869.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordi- PER OVERLAND MAIL nary Half-yearly MERTING of the MISS ROSE has just received a dhoice Shareholders in this Company will be held M assortment of Black and Colored in the Horst in SATURDAY, the Mist BILKS, BAREGE, Fancy and Muslim August next, at three o'clock pain, to DRESSES.

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with Terms and Conditions of Contract can be seen and all other information of sined at the Office of the Community Royal

p.in! daily (Sundays excepted). No Tenders will be recognized unless the party making it shall previously register his name on the Royal Engineer. Office, where proper forms for tendering upon may be obtained.

Payments will be made monthly in the

current Dollars of Hongkong under the terms and conditions of Contract before The right of rejecting the whole or any particular Tonder is reserved at 200

C. F. POTGLETER Asst. Comy. Genl. Hongkong, August 6, 1869.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENGY THE GOVERNOR

LADY MAODONNELL Mr. W. P. FLOYD

his PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY at reets, where he solicits the luspection of Life size Photographic Portraits in

Vater Colors or Oil. Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

nder power contained in the Mortgage Lil those valuable Promises situate in Hongkong, abutting on Queen's Road in the South, and partly on the Praya on the North, formerly occupied by Mesars. cupation of Messrs, E. Schellhass & Co. 101. and are held under Lease from the Crown for 999 years, subject to a Crown

rent of £30 per annum. The Premises are spacious and airy, and the ground comprises an area of 14,400 square feet. Those valuable Premises adjoining the above on its Western boundary, formerly in the compation of the Asiatic Bank, and built on Inland Lot No. 514. These Pre-

mises are likewise held under a Crown Lease for 999 years, subject to a Crown rent of £24 10s. per annum, and the Lot contains an area of 6,750 square feet. The above valuable Property will be sold by Public Auction in Hongkong on some early day (of which due notice will be given)

unless previously disposed of by private For further particulars, apply to MESSES. SMITH, AKCHER & Co.,

HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esq.,

Hongkong, 3rd August, 1869. HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO

STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

PROM and after this date, SEASON TICKETS to and from Macao (not transferable) will be issued for \$45 for the

term of three months. By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Jo., General Agents.

Hongkong, July 24, 1869,

NOTICE. THE Undersigned are now prepared to

Land and Store GOODS on the Premises lately occupied by them as a Store.
THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, August 10, 1869.

FOR SALE OR TO LET. AT desirable Residence No. 17 Cains HOUSE, with Out Houses and Stabling for 4 Horses attached, lately occupied by the Honble. W. H. RENNIE. The House has been recently redecorated and is in thorough repair. Them of Apply to a new profession are whe

JOHN GERRARD. Hongkong, August 10, 1869.

His Billiard Room will be Closed from report of the Directors, and for the election MINGS in great variety. A large assortment of Ladies and Child-

ren's BOOTS and SHORS WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite the Oatholic Chapel. Hongkong, July 31, 1869. 421 Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

### New Advertisements.

THE very conveniently situated HOUSE,
No. 1, in Caine Road, commanding a
splendid view of the Harbour. It contains
eight Rooms, Stabling for two Ponies, and
the necessary Out-houses. Gas and Water
are laid on all over the house.

For Particulars, apply to ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1869.

NOTICE,

THE Undersigned are rauthor of the annual premium on Insurances Engineer, Commissariat Buildings, Queen's DATE. ROB. S ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, August 11, 1869 day at the

COMPANY, LIMITED MOTICE TO BHARBHOEDERS.

HE SECOND CALL of \$100 per Share will become due at the Office of the HONGLONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING COR-Receipts for the payment thereof will Interest at the rate of 12% per annum will be charged after the above date in the FIRST N. B.—The Sarip Recaiple for the FIRST CALL, an well as those above referred t

VICTORIA FOUNDRY. Spring Gardens.

MACDOUGALL & CO. ENGINEERS BOTTER MAKERS, BRASS and IRO FOUNDERS, SHIPS' SMPTHS, and GENERAL Boilers made and repaired for prices of the Boilers, Spring of the Works, Spring Gardens.

Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

Smith, Kennedy & Co., and now in the oc- Darion as an Apprentice in a Mercantil Office or a Ship-chandler's Store. China Mail Office. August 10, 1869 101 WARD AVEAu18

> NOTICE OF REMOVAL. HE Undersigned have removed their RAY & Co., Queen's Road Central.
> Goods received for Auction Sales will fully covered by Fire Insurance, for which no extra charge is made. STURAGE to be had on very moderate

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 23, 1869.

# SAN FRANCISCO,

CALIFORNIA.

HE Occidental Hotel having been re cently improved and refurnished, now in complete order in all its appointof this well known Hotel equal to those of the best Hotels of the Eastern States and

Hongkong, April 13, 1869. ILLUMINATIONS.

AROHES,

For the approaching visit of HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS

HK Undersigned is now prepared obtained from

Meters Wilson & SALWAY. Hongkong, July 5, 1869.

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS, HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadel-phia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong.
Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street | but patients visited at their homes if desired. All diseases of the teeth treated

LIOTEL DE PRANCE A CANTON.

Service comfortable, prix moderes.

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New Advertisements.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION HE Undersigned, in pursuance of the instructions of His Excellency Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1869, took over charge of British interests at the Ports of

accept the reduced rate of One Began effected for any term not exceeding Tay

HONGKONG FLRE INSURANCE

the Company as soon as the necessary forms are received from England, due notice of which will be given to the Shareholders. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

ESTABLISHED 1857

Address "F. H., Swatow," care of the

Corporation's Stock will fall due on to the Premises, lately occupied by Messrs

# OCCIDENTAL HOTEL

Travellers will find the Accommodations

TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL And other DECORATIONS,

THE DUKE OF EDINBURCH

execute orders for the above. All information in reference thereto, can b

JOHN B. HOLLAND, Scenie Artist &c.

and artificial work inserted on gold, silver, vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum. Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

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BRITISH CONSULATS, Thewarpfu, June 15, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Apotion, in their Sales Rooms Queen's Road po // appointed the

THURSDAY, the 19th instant, at 4 P.M. The following choice WINES, just

arrived (for the late Major Genera BRUNKER 024 doz. Dry Sherry 14 doz. Extra Dry Champagne. 8 doz. After Dinner Claret. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before deliver

All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, August 61, 1869.

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7. 1.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKIN CORPORATION

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the half year ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7,50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable on and after THURSDAY the 19th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply

for Warrants. By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 16, 1869, HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

CTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars pe Share on the 20,000 New Shares of th

dates following, viz :-On lat July, 1869, \$25 1st Jan., 1872, 1st Jan., 1873.

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of o per cent. per annum, payable balf-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall full due, and receipts for such

payments will be issued at the Head Office By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

SUSSORIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS. Court of DIRECTORS. Chairman Geo. F. HRARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman-JULIUS MENKE, Esq. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR. A. JOOST, Esq. WELLIAM LEMANN, J. P. DUNCARSON. W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Esq.

E. R. BELILION, Esq. Managers. Hongkong, Viotor Kressen, Esq. Shanghae, . DAVID MACLEAR, Esq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County | the above port.

HONGKONG, INTEREST ALLOWED O' of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits .--

For 9 months, 2 per cent, per aunum.

11 6 11 4 per cent. , 12 , 8 per cent. , LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Eachange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India. Australia, America, China and Japan.

VICTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager.
Offices of the Corporation,

Hongkong, January 1, 1869,

Shipping.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. THE P. & O. S. N. Co. 8. S.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

will have immediate despatch for the above W. MACAULAY,

Hongkong, August 11, 1869.

The Undersigned are also prepared to receive applications for Freight to London per this steamer, to the extent of 400 Tons. For Freight or Passage, apply to

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES

IMPERIALES, Tantante The Company's steamer patched for Yokohama (direct)

C. BERTRAND. Principal Agent! Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP

The Steam-ship "GREAT REPUBLIO." Captain J. M. CAVARLY, will sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San

Francisco, on the 19th instant, at 3 P. M. No Freight received after Noon of the

THOMAS A. HARRIS,

FOR YOKOHAMA The American steam-ship Captain Barclay, will be despatched for the above port, on MONDAY, the 16th Inst., at 2 p.m.

> FOR MANILA The Spanish steamer "MANILA" (late " Yung hai-an,") Capt. J. ROLDANO, will leave

For Freight or Passage, apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, August 13, 1869.

FOR HAMBURG (DIRECT.) The North German barque Captain Schmidt, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampon and Macao

For Freight, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1869. FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig "KODRIGO," quick dispatch as above.

Hongkong, August 16, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE & BOMBAY. The A 1 British ship

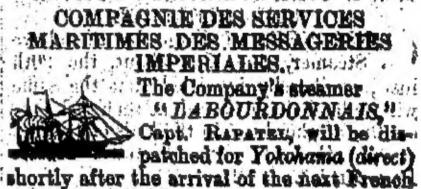
Hongkong, August 11, 1869, FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig "VILLA DE RIVADAVIA," CABTILLO, Master, will most

Hongkong, July 29, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE. The First-class French brig Capt. ELIE, will have quick des-For Freight or Passage, apply to FREDERIO DEGENAER

FOR BAN FRANCISCO. The British ship "NORTH STAR," will have quick despatch for the For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

will have immediate despatch as above.

Hongkong, August 18, 1869.



Mail; expected on the 17th inst.

COMPANY.



Passengers are requested to be on board at 2 P.M., day of sailing.

Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, August 10, 1869.

this for the above port, immediately after arrival of the French Mail from Europe. Return Tickets 1st Class, \$130.

or the above port, and will meet with a quick despatch.

Perento, Master, will have For Freight and Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

Captain Dougant, will have quick despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

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Hongkong, May 25, 1869.

Hongkong, July 13, 1869,

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#### Shipping. FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER The A 1 French barone " WAHELA." Captain Bonner, of about 9000 piculs carrying capacity. GRUN & Co. Hongkong, August 7, 1869. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Clipper ship "GAME COOK, B. F. SHERBURNE, Master,

having the greater portion of engaged, will load here and at Whampoa, and have immediate despatch for the spine Pontage For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 9, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American built barou Captain (CROPTE, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will load at this and Whampoa. and that room for a limited amount of Freight; for which apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1869.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT OR CHARTER The A 1 British brig "BLAIRMORE," Capt. CARGILL of 223 jons Ro-For Tarticulars, apply to
EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.
Houghold, August 9, 1869.

Adtices to Consignres.

O. S. S. Cor.'s STEAMER "DIOMED SADFROM DIVERPOOLINGS ONSIGNALS of Cargo by the above Steamer, due berg about the 20th inst, sear bereby informed that the same will be landed and stored at their risk, ac cording to the clause in the Bills of Ladino in the Godown situated under Meiere Russelle de Code Officesare and andie faul fil 6 BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, August 11, 1869, ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's Steam-ship Donnai, are requested to send in their Bills of Lading, for countersignature, and to take delivery of their Goods before the 24th Inst. at 3 P.M. or they will be landed aid stored at their

risk and expense. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent Hongkong, July 22, 1869

uad bus ousaNOTION HE following outes have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Bz " Cambodge," 2d February, 1869. GFC 15985 Pcase Chemicals. Bo " Donnas," 26th July, 1869. . . 1 case I ffects. (in dismond) 5 bales Cotton.

(in diamond) 5 bales Cotton. Addr. Agaisse Foochow 1 case Samples. O BERTRAND. Principal Agent. Hongkong, July 30, 1869.

P.M.S.S. Coasta GREAT REPUBLIC FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature land to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ve seliwill be landed and stored at Consigneer risk and expense with

THOMAS A HARRIS d vlant Salesal (Agento-1 36 Hongkong, August 16, 1869. Will be the straight of the second

Ao ices of Firms.

HE interest and responsibility of the late Mr HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON

in our Firm censed on the 30th June last AND MY MURTIMER LVLLYN MURRAY WAS admitted a partner therein on 1st July MARGESSUN & Co. Hongkong, August 2, 1869. MOSTNOTIOE VI CONSTRUCT

AR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly author IVI ised to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1869,

HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT, C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

L R M this date Mr Thomas A. Hannis Will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this port. GEO. E. LANE. Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

NOTICE. I HAVE established myself at Kobe, and Osaka, as Commission Merchant and GRUPPAL ACENT HENRY LUCAS Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

NOTICE. TTE have, sutherized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date.

DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January I, 1868.

HE Business of Kinnsan & Co., Foo- lowing first-class CLARETS .after this date under the style and firm of MEDOC, 4.00 per dos. OKINNBAR, LARKEN & Co. the pattners therein being Mr WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr.THOMAS LAN-CASTER LARKEN. WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR. Foochow, May 1, 1869.

NOTICE. R LEONHARD STARL has been admitted Partner in our Firm from this date. HESSE & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1869 pot1

For Sale

FOR SALE Barrela Best 600 PURTLAND CEMENT FREDERIC DEGENAER Hongkong, August 12, 1869. FOR SALE, TO ARRIVE casks of best Portland CEMENT P. & P. DERODE FRERES

FOR SALE. AS, HENNESSY & Core Old, THREE STAR BRANDY AL LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongwong, July 10, 1869.

Hongkong, July 26, 1869.

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FOR SALE Ex " Dunmail" and " Carmarthen hise." UINESS' EXTRA STOUT, in Kilder GUINESS' EXTRA STOUT, bottled by

& S. BURKE of Dublin, in quarts and BASS & Co. ALE, (ESPECIAL BREW), in dogsheads and Kilderkins. BASS & Co. ALE, in quarts and pints, bottled by Camebon & SAUNDERS. 10 tons of HUBBUCKS' PAINTS of every

HUBBUCKS' Pale Boiled and Raw Oll. HUBBUCKE TURPENTINE & DRIERS CROSER and BLACKWELL'S OILMAN'S STURES, well assorted : Brown, & Pourson's CORN-STARCH, LOAF SUGAR in

ast BACON, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869

FOR SALE Ex "ANGO" and "87. GERMAIN." CUPERIOR Roussillion WINE, in cask, Light Bordeaux WINE in ditto H. & C. Balaresque's CHATEAU LA-

H. & C. Balaresque's HAUD BRION. VRAY CANON CHATEAU DE FRANDS Haute Sauterne, Barsac, d'Youemy Cha-

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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, AUG. 17, 1869. CHINESE, EVIDENCE, THE Judgment given by Sir E. Hornby on the motion for leave to appear in the case of Regina v. George (condemned to death for murder) revives an important question as to the credibility of Chinese witnesses. While we admit with the learned Chief Judge that the formula used on the occasion of the trial sufficiently assured the fact of the Chinese

witnesses being under some sense of moral compulsion, we must quite dissent that this "moral compulsion" is sufficiently strong to render "a basis precisely such as the law of England. requires to found an oath upon." The distinction we would draw is this. The natives believe, says the Chief Judge, "in a God (the God of Thunder was the Deity referred to on the occasion in question) and his attributes of power punish them if they lied." Now this may be very true, though, as we think, open to dispute, but the question is, dothe natives believe in an exceptional punishment for perjury? Sir Edmund Hornby quotes, Mr Taylor's dictum that a person is competent to testify if he believes in the existence of a God and that divine punishment will be the certain consequence of perjury " but defines under 4 "a God" to be in his opinion not an omniscient power but a spiritual power, and furthermore says that more force is attributed to the word "certain" than was probably intended by the learned

writer. Upon these points we join issue. The first and most obvious considerstion which occurs to the reader is the status of the God referred to. If, for instance, he be an inferior deity it is very obvious, that, supposing even a belief in his power and will to punish for lying, absolution could be purchased at the shrine of a more powerful God. There seems to have been no attempt made in the case which has given rise to these remarks to ascertain the extent of the witnesses' belief. And we cannot but hold that belief in a God must have been intended by the authorities quoted of which were originally compiled by Dr. will be liable to the same rates of postage to imply a supreme God, no matter what Morrison, and afterwards republished with as those sent by the British Mail Packets his attributes in other respects. There was no evidence (recorded) to shew that the witnesses believed the God they referred to, omniscient as regarded the For a packet of Books or Patterns, Beents punishment he was supposed to be able to inflict. Upon the second point we the certainty is a most important element in the sense of obligation. The Chief Judge argues as follows !--

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placed on oath, and that he hesitates to The following from the Cincinnati Commercial of June 6th, will interest many anx starboard quarter boat; I, three others, mised for the completion of a contract tate to commit other crimes . It may be ious, annuirers, and confirm the general that there is amongst civilized nations a rumours affect at the time Hongkong was taking handouffs with us; I had the be insufficient to cover the expense of its He died at Amoy, whither he had gone that there is a likely to fixed deprived of Mr Mitchell's company:—"The handouffs; we pushed alongside the same execution, Receipts were given by plaintiff from Formosa with the view of proceeding belief that the perjurer is likely to bleet deprived of Mr Mitchell's company:- The with retribution in kind, as it were, and to Norwich (Connection). Advertiser relates that a traveller named A. D. Mitchell re- the address as prisoner not for the address as priso the fact that a strong moral force, defined who had travelled eleven thousand miles in mate followed him in another sampan ; a certainty by law anthoritities, impels thirty seven days. He was only six days when the prisoner saw this he jumped even criminals to respect an oath in a and twenty-one hours from Ban Francisco. twenty-six days from Japan, and thirty seven days from Hongkong. On his wa way of epeculation, to be forwarded to hi address. As we have good reason believe that he left in the Shirles the fore going looks very like a would-be "blind,"

> THE N. O. Herald of the 12th inst. gives the following remarks on the Shanghai prices have improved and may be quoted firm at Tls. 96 per share cum, div. U.S. N. Co. L. A considerable number have lately changed hands at prices varying from The 230 a Tls. 250. The latter may be consi dered the closing rate. N. C. Steamer Co -More enquiry but few for sale. Shanghai Gas Co. Quiet meantime coffered Tis 95 a 97. Shanghai Tug and Lighte Co.—Promise to be a good investment. no sales yet reported. Shanghai Dock -Sellers ask Tls. 100 per share, but no buyers. Soochow Creek Bridge.—Have lately been settled at 100 per cent premium

Mr May on the Bench. A coolie named Foong Atai was charged with theft from the room of a Chinese ser vant, living with a Parsee gentleman in Hollywood Road. Complainant saw fendant run out of his room about half pas seven last night, and running after him caught the prisoner, and gave him in charge to a constable. A jacket, which had bee missed by the servant, was seen by a man who gave evidence to have been thrown to another man, who ran away. Inspector he had been in prison for larceny a short time since. - Prisoner denied the charge. but admitted having been in Gaol before. also upon a false charge. But false or true. their purpose. Now it is folly to pretend Mr. May accepted the statements of the with both hands, and he could have got on soner, and gave him one of those sentences said too, no put up her hands, and the ner in which you brought the steamer sidence is Chung-king, left that city about reason to know that the matter is one of which may be called salutary; viz six prisoner came up and struck deceased on Suconada into this harbour on the mornmonths hard labor, and security in \$100 for twelve months longer, otherwise depor- let go until he was struck; I know the manship and good judgement displayed in

A coolie in the employ of Messrs Lane. coolie to that firm for aix or seven years. either adopted the trade of a thief or was tion may be "the better part of valuar" found out in the practice of this trade, about seven o'clock this morning. | Mr Cox (of that firm) observed the soolie storing something in a most unusual place, viz. under his waistband, and seizing him had nice little tin of Oxford sausages. As the store coolie was not employed for this kind of self-storage, he was sent to the Station for the above departure from honesty and well-doing.-Prisoner admitted the charge, and said that, as he had never tasted an Apropos of this California affair we Oxford sausage before, he thought he would have a sample, in order to satisfy himself tisco Times of the 21st June, describing that they were good for food -Mr May changed prisoner's diet for at least three months, for which period he was ordered to be imprisoned with hard labor.

A coolie named Pang Ashing was charged by Inspector Daly with the murder of an terday A remand was granted; pending were of a higher class than those recently the inquest.

to their residences. A large humber of English papers, fisshed, the intelligence to for 45 nights' chair-hire, from 27th June Europe that an "Australian" cientific to 10th August, at half a dollar a night. and the crowd, after a delay of several Expedition had reached Hongkong, Of They had only been paid \$3 course the word quoted should be Austrian " and it is strange that, from the oproced without molestation and abuse. Times downwards so little should be known At a convenient point on the router free or remembered of the expedition as to ral times paid them \$6 and \$7. He had note policemen, a squad of guerrillas, act rander such a mistake possible. But the telegraphic news given by the English press ticked the Chinamen with stones and other is frequently a thing to wonder at, espemission in a most ruffishly and cowardly cially in what ralates to China, considering manner. (Some of the Chinamen were badly what pains are taken to place correct and ormed and a white man, who tried to essily sequired information at the use of Hop the one an thi; thet the same treatment | the telegraphic agents.

An inquest was held this afternoon on case in a muddle generally. He stated

better this country is the right of self pre-indicated, the jury would perhaps hear kong, he would adjourn the case for a week. from the evidence to be addited. The Otherwise, he was inclined to decide for deceased was a seaman on board the British the plaintiffs, on the statement of defend-Hillians doomed to demolition; one of them he following evidence was taken in a tolerably large Nicholas Andrew, master of the Asiatic, was adjourned accordingly. deficied. I have seen the body and recog-

or the mercy of God may afford him a hope 2017/2003 of the meeting of the Whampos Dock Co. day morning. I saw him yesterday morning given. of the therefore to say that he is certain to be this afternoon, several warm discussions ing at 11.30; at that time he was apparently

> but the sampan shoved away from him, and he missed her it was the deceased who was floating astern, I recognised bits by his whiskers; he swam past the sampan which he could not catch, until he got to the sampan in which was the man who is here in handouffs ; this man (produced in and proper basis, and to communicate the cannot swear that the blow aimed at \$1018. Plaintiff abandons all but shoulders; the bamboo was certainly in contact with deceased's body; I saw him go under water after the push of the bamboo, and then' I said "The man is gone," I got down from aloft and we lowered the cases, in which the sums sued for were proand the boatswain got on to the boat, the original amount of which was found to pan, in which were the prisoner and for the amount of the original contract, but to his new post at Canton. He fell ill at sampan go astern of the ship; the second | the defendants pleaded that they had paid overboard and tried to get away among ther sampans, his wife in the meantim calling out something which I did not soner and took him on board the Asiatic I have no doubt that the prisoner is the man who made use of the bamboo sa about, but T have no doubt of the pri Share market -S. S. N. Co. -Since the boo was a boat book. I cannot tell settlement at a low rate of a large number | how deceased came to be in the water of shares, lately put upon the market, whether he was bathing or not; it was near diffier time; he is an Englishman; at o'clock he was solid and sober at I am at

the Sailor a Home : he was a native of Margate, and of a cheerful merry disposition There was no quarrel on board yesterday In answer to a question at to how the sampan came to be tied to the ship, it was explained that there were many attached in which labourers on the ship lived : the prisoner had never been seen by witness of

Victor Kennell deposed: I am able sea man on board the Asiatic. She lies on th Kowloong aide, and was there yesterda Near one o'clock yesterday afternoon I was aloft; when I heard the cry "A man over loard," I looked and saw the decease swimming for about five minutes among the dozen sampans at the stern of the ship he was about 20 or 30 yards from the ship when he fell overboard he fell betwee the sampans and the ship; the tide car ning towards, the sampans, because he could not get back to the ship; the first but shoved away; he went to I came down from aloft and dived for decessed, but sould not find him. Prisoner. when he saw our boat coming, jumped overboard and tried to escape. I saw only the fellow examined, when was disclosed a the one blow; I saw nothing of a push

The inquest is going on. The evidence to be produced will be chiefly corroborative. It is probable that deceased fell overboard accidentally.

BUMMARY JURISDICTION COURT (Before Hon. J. C. WHYTE.) August 17, 1869.

R. S. Walker and others of P. J. de Barros, \$12.10, for a die of a monogram. Mr Noticy appeared to but as it was found European seaman named John Trim, yes- that the debt had been incurred more than three years since, the case was diamissed

Lew A Ng and another p. J. Foster \$19.75, for chair-hire - Plaintiffs charged

Defendant atated on outh that he engaged the coolies for night trips into Hongnot been in Hongkong more than three

Plaintiffs deuted this, and produced long roll of nights on which they carried the defendant, and swore that they never nissed a single night. Defendant a boy was produced ; but he appeared to be confused, and contradicted both his master and himself, and got the

hours, from the Sailors Home. He came | tailor's bill .- Defendant admitted the debt.

contractor for the building of steamers, and throw any light on the matter? What aloft between 12 and 1 o'clock yesterday, he engaged the plaintiff for what he should prove to be worth; and as he found that he local Bank stock

tiff had overestimated his value. Summons was therefore dismissed.

MORRIA & CO. C. L. Davies v. Un bling, \$200, on a bob." promissory note: This case was adjourned until to-morrow, at 11 a.m. (1 1 )

E. W. Blackwood v David Browne. follow perjury. If this comparative "That the Directors be requested to take 6 feet long, from his boat, and gave him a \$500. This is a claim for money due from does not exist we fail to see into consideration the feasibility of coming push away from the sampan, and made a the bar of the Oriental Bowling Alley, and for money paid by plaintiff to and for the use of the defendant, amounting in all to gime forbidden in the Bible. There is "a an earlier date." We shall to-morrow that the bamboo did hit deceased's body this Court. The case was adjourned until

> Foong Chang w. Tsoo Wing Yeong, \$400; Same v. Chun Ying Cheong, \$300,-This was one of those interminable contract up everything in full. Tile case was not one of very great

interest to Europeans. Judgment was finally given for defendant with costs of attorney Mr Caldwell appeared for the plaintif and Mr Francis was for the defendants."

#### CRIMINAL CALENDAR

AUGUST SESSIONS. 1. John Leopold Möller Obtaining 2: Chun Akong and Chun Akwong-Lierceny in a dwelling house and receiving

3:—Ho Akee and Yune Achung—Larceny. 4.—Tean San poo—Perjury.
5.—Teang Ayu—Perjury
6.—Chun A Ng—Robbery with violence.

7.—Chun Aping—Shooting with intent

TESTIMONIAL TO CAPTAIN CLAR OF THE S. S. SUWONADA A piece of plate has been presented Captain Clark, bearing the following

Prosented to Captain Arthur Hamilton Clark, by the undermentioned China Insurauce Offices as a mark of their recognition of his services in having under circumstances of great peril saved the steame Survonada whilst in a sinking condition by bringing her in Hongkong harbour on the morning of the 26th of June. 1869. Signed for the

Canton Insurance Office. Union Insurance Society of Canton. North China Insurance Company. China Traders' Insurance Co., Limited Yanguszo Insurance Association.

The following is the correspondence:-Hongkong, 16th August, 1869. Captain Arthur Hamilton Clark, Steame

DEAR SIR .- We the undersigned agents the head with a bamboo; deceased did not ing of 26th June last, and the skilful seaprisoner is the man who struck the keeping her affeat and subsequently dockblow for I jumped overboard after him; ing her, whilst in a sinking condition. Had Crawford & Co. nand who has been store. I saw the prismer distinctly strike the it not been for this prudent course of deceased; I saw him raise the bamboo action on your part, the Insurance Offices above his head, and aim a blow which would probably have incurred a heavy loss struck deceased, who immediately sank; which it must be gratifying to you to learn

As a slight token therefore of our appreciation and recognition of your services on this occasion we beg your acceptance of the accompanying testimonial, which we offer not so much on account of its intrinsic value, as a mark of our esteem and regard, and a proof that services of this nature when brought prominently under the notice of the Insurance Offices are deserving of suitable acknowlegement and will neither escape notice or be disregarded by the

With our best wishes for your future aucoess and prosperity in the honourable career in which you are engaged, Wo remain, Dear Sir, yours faithfully, (Signed) JARDINE, MATHEBON, & CO.,

General Agents Canton Insurance Office ROBERT WATMORE, 1 Secretary Union Ins. Society of Canton.

AUGUSTINS HEARD & Co. General Agente China Traders' Ins. Co., Limited RUSSELL & Co.

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Honokond, August 16, 1869. To Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Co. Robert Watmore, Esq., Messre Augustine Heard & Co., Mesars Russell & Co., J. K. Davis, Esq.

GENTLEMEN, -Your letter of this date has just been received, together with the valuable Piece of Plate with which you have Shipping and abused in the manner the body of John Trim, at the Civil Host that he had paid money, and then he said thought proper to present me. I thank you sincerely for your generous appreciation of an account of the connection with various remarks lately sincerely for your generous appreciation of the connection with various remarks lately

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In the deceased had been shipped only a few A. A. Persira s. Filippe Martins, \$8, a them before be sailed for England, and must congratulate the department on that he will be able to show that he strictly able to store the lime safely under hatches, obeyed his instructions, and that among nothing but stone appearing on deck. We

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL. Hondkong, 17th August, 1869. Quite sober.

Wong Asam v James Finlay, \$10, for Siz. A circular, of which the tollowing Thomas Sharp deposed: I am an able wages as a blacksmith. Defendant is a is a copy, has just been sent me. Can you it mean! What are the last quotations of

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### THE NORTH

Our dates from Shanghai extend to the 12th instant.

(N. C. Herald.) We mentioned; in our last issue, a report that Mr Howard, the newly appointed Minister to Peking, will not after all take up his appointment. We have had, since full confirmation of this statement. of the change met Mr Browne at Yokohama, but he determined nevertheless to go on to Washington, in order to support. personally the policy he had advocated. He prefers not to retain office, unless he can do so as the representative of a truer policy.

We regret very much to learn the death of Mr Gibson, late acting Consulat Taiwan. death took place on the 28th ulto. tomb should be inscribed, a victim to the harsh treatment of the Foreign Office.

News has arrived from Peking that the contemplated visit of Mr Hart to the treaty ports, for the purpose of inspecting and examining the Customs establishments and employes, is adjourned sine die. Rumour assigns several causes to this change in the resolve of the Inspector General The embarassment resulting from some imbroglies connected with the Burlingame mission said to have decided Mr Hart to remain in the Norte : while another report traces his present immobility to a fear that during his absence, the Chinese may pay him the same trick they played Mr Lay. SEE OF MAUHORES STREET No. 2. 6.

disturbances in Szechuen, last spring, will able and trying one. This Law Secretarybe read with interest now that our Hankow | ship in the hands of persons, neither qualicorrespondent's truculent letter has reawakened interest in that province.

The prefectural city of Yu-Yang and the district city of Paug-shwuy are in the extreme S.E. corner of Szechuen, closely bordering upon Hoo-nan and Kwei-chow provinces. These are the places at which at the commencement of the present year, a number of Christian (Roman Catholic) converts were murdered their pastor Pere Rigaud being killed at the same time. With this single exception, there is no reason to believe that any other foreign priest has been killed in Szechuen during the present year. At Kwei-chow-foo, last April, it was stated that the number of Native Christians say on its nineteenth day, thus showing a massacred, was 63, and that a still larger number of friendly pagans had been killed -that the Viceroy had sent a number of soldiers to the scene; that the instigators of F. Major & Co.'s Circular at Hankow :the murders had fied, and that the family of one of them had been exterminated. Pere ult. an improvement has been noticeable Sabatier of Foo (chow,) the nearest city to in business. The River had then attained Pang-shwuy, which is on the river Ho-Tow, its maximum beight, but having since which falls into the Yang-taze at Foo, had retired about 3 feet, all anxiety is removed. been sent to the spot to report to the Bishop. and the usual reaction after a state of de-The Taotai of Chung-king was ordered pression is now setting in. The Rice must

by the Viceroy of Szeebuen to proceed to fall far short of that of an average year, Yu-vang, from which city he passed through but the prospects of the cotton and other Chung-king at the end of April on his way Autumn crops are still uncertain. have much pleasure in informing you that | to Ching-Tu, to report to the Vicercy there. board easily enough; a woman on board we noticed with satisfaction the able man- The Bishop of Sinite, whose ordinary rethe same time to visit the Viceroy, also to place the facts before him. Further massecres to the extent of about fifty persons had subsequently taken place; and Christian converts being treated by the authorities as rebels; had entrenched them selves in a fortified camp, round a building about two miles from Yu yang, behin which were three large caverns in which the women and children were placed.

> The difficulties in this district appear have arisen from jealousy of the Christian o nverts on the part of their neighbours as the former have been to a certain extent privileged from exactions on the part of the mandarins, owing to the dislike of these officials to come into collision with the priests, who have been in the habit of taking up any case in which their converts Japanese. She realized \$12,000. had been unjustly treated by the magistrates. The feeling had become so strong upon this subject, that whilst with some it excited a desperate hatred of the favored neophytes, others were induced to become professed converts to Christianity for the to be obtained, and no less than ten thousand persons are reported to have enrolled thomselves as Christians during the last

few months in the neighbourhood. 2nd January .. It took place in a house where the Christians had met for public worship. It is said that representation had been previously made to the authorities of the dauger in which the Christians were of attack from their pagen neighbours; that these had asserted their fears were groundless I that the converts had thereupon armed themselves for self-preservation; that the mandarins informed the priests, whom there were two at Yu-yang, that in consequence of this action, they should no longer afford them any protection; that to prevent any such excess being justified on defences I and that the massacre took place the following day; the younger of the two priests with difficulty escaping with his life.

dwellings are also in a forward state, and dent of all other considerations.

The organization established in New the lantern itself is now on the island. York for filibustering enterprises in Cubs | With regard to a statement lately made by seems to be entirely broken up More our contemporary that the Hisa-shing left Min Reverdy Johnson, who is now at his must have affisen I that famous craft, out off. In describing how the accident hap home in Maryland, is said to be preparing although busily employed in furthering the pened, the visitor reached out the left forea vindication of his course while American works, never had such indignity forced on and must congratulate the department on the social status of citizens.

the progress displayed since the works were taken out of the late contractor's hands. Last mail one of our contemporaries,

usually very accurate in its information. sent home a startling rumour originated by its Hankow correspondent Dof the murder of twenty Roman Catholica Missionaries, in the Spechuen Province. It now turns out simply to be an exaggerated revival of the intelligence, which reached here last spring of Missionary troubles in the quarter named, during which Pere Rigant and a number of converts, lost their lives. Mr Burlingham will, we doubt not, have had an uneasy fortnight, and the present mail will afford him considerable relief.

The American Consul General here, Mr. G. F. Seward, goes home, we understand, by the next U.S. Mail, on the 19th instant. We sincerly hope his absence will be but temporary for few Foreign Officials have ever attained a similar amount of popularity and respect. Mr Seward's permanent loss to Shaughai would be very greatly felt by both Natives and Foreigners, and the only alteration that could be looked upon with any degree of satisfaction would be his return to China as the successor of Mr. J. Ross Brown, as the American Minister to Peking. Mr Mowatt, the Law Secretary of our

Supreme Court, is also homeward bound by to-day's Mail, we believe, it being his avowed intention to read Law during his sidering that Mr Mowatt entered on his present responsible and arduous duties. without any previous training for the same, -a Consular Student Interpreter of the very rawest type, we cannot but admit he has acquitted himself far better than might have been expected. He is hardworking and painstaking, and these qualificationt go far to atone for a general want of perception and difficulty in grasping the bearings of a case which are frequently so painfully apparent to a casual observer in his court. Possibly after completion of his legal studies, he may gain the "Judicial Mind," so necessary in one who holds the position of Magistrate in a Summary Jurisdiction and Police Court. His successor, Mr Jamieson, is much of the stamp Consular student, and his utter inexpertence will for some time make the position The following notes on the missionary of parties to suits in his court an unenvified by education or experience to exercise its functions legitimately, is the one great drawback to our otherwise tolerably perfect udicial system.

Grant's Kiachta Telegraphic Line, has, during this season of the year, an evident advantage over that via Galle, as evidenced by the dates received yesterday. Reuter's Telegrams, as published in our morning contemporaries, which extend only up to the 10th July, were received here per Mail steamer on the 2nd August, their twenty-third day out while Grant's "Circular" with London dates to 13th July, arrived here on the 1st instant, or clear saving of no less than five days.

We extract the following from Messrs Since writing my last advices of 24th

# JAPAN.

From Nagasaki, we learn that on the 22nd ultimo, the Billiard Saloon attached to the Commercial Hotel fell down suddenly with a great crosh. It was at first supposed to be the result of an earthquake. but subsequent examination proved that it was due to faulty construction. The walls gave out and fell, and thus brought down the roof. This happened in the daytime, but fortunately no one was in the Saloon at the time, the players having just adjourned. to the Bar Room adjourning—had any one been there it is certain that life must have been sacrificed, for the six tables in the room were completely flattened.

The North German brig Atlantic, has been sold by Mesers Ardian & Co., to the

GOLD CURRENCY. A report has been addressed to the Chancellor of the Exchequer by the Master of the Mint and the late Master of the Calcutta Mint, on the mintage necessary to cover sake of the supposed material advantages the expenses of establishing and maintaining the gold currency. The gold comage in circulation in the United Kingdom is generally estimated at about 80 millions sterling, 68-80ths being sovereigns and The massacre at Yu-yang occurred on the 12-80ths half sovereigns. An estimated annual coinage of about 10 millions would be made up of four millions of first comage and six millions of renewal. The cost at which a sovereign or half-sovereign is 'produced may be safely taken at about a halfpenny. By wear sovereigns fall below the legal weight after a circulation of 18 years, and half-sovereigns in 10 years. Mr Jevons calculates the annual loss by wear on 100 sovereigns at 8.371 pence ; on our present mixed circulation of sovereigns and halfsovereigns the annual loss is calculated at 35,0001. Some coins drop out of circult tion annually by shipwrecks, fires, melting, their part, the Christians abandoned their losses, do, and on the other hand it is estimated that there are about thirty million sovereigns in circulation in foreign countries, part of which may be returned to the United Kingdom for renewal when they become light. The result of the whole calculation is that for our circulation of 68 will be ariested promptly for or or other than the did not wish to should be ariested promptly for or or other than the did not wish to should be ariested promptly for or or other than the did not wish to should be inferred that defendant had committed perjury, but the special promptly for or or other than the galactic state that one work for some than the galactic state that one work for some state of the coroner remarks are of the works for my efforts to preserve the property entrust decide so that it should be inferred that defendant had committed perjury, but the same measure the kind sentiments of lighting the approaches to Shanghai we are glad to be enabled to state that one work, the Goroner remarks are of the works for my efforts to preserve the property entrust decide so that it should be inferred that defendant had committed perjury, but the some measure the kind sentiments of the case was a very extraordinary one. If the full this was a rather serious construction, and all future restoration.

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LIVERPOOL AND LONDON & GLOBE INSUBANCE COMPANIES.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings or on Goods Stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, September 28, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$20,000 on Buildings or on Goods atored therein. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Not exceeding ten days a of the annual rate. Not exceeding I month.
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Hongkong, August 13, 1869. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

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THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co, Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

INSURANCE COMPANY.

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NOTICE. MANOHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances Not exceeding 1 month, 1 per cent. Above I month and not exceeding 3 months.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

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LIMITED. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

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Agents the Queen Insurance Company Hongkong, May 20, 1868

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, TWO MILLION STEELING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against ire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings r on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

LONDON ASSUBANCE CORPORATION. LIFE ASSURANCE.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

THE Undersigned are authorised to issue

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-BATION THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month, per cent. Three months.
Six months.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

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HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur ance on the usual Terms.

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Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR ANOE COMPANY, are now authorised to itane Policies against FIRE as follows vis On lany one first-class Building, or on Goods, stored therein in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macso \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE

HE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th Oo tober last) received authority from the Be cretary of the ROYAL INBURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er FEOTS, therein contained.

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Contents. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly aituated) and their Contents, f per cent. First Class China House and their Contents.

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Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

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F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

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the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carron Co." is insciminable. 6 -The Remitter on stating that the Or der is to be paid only through a Bank, have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank. -When an Order is presented through States Mail Packet a Bank, a receipt by any person will be su ficient, provided the Order be crossed wit THURSDAY, the 19th Instant, at 2 the name of the receiving Bank, and

presented by some Person known to be he employ of such Bank. The monature of the Payee of a Money Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee he unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer

who pays the Order, 9. Should the Payee of a Money Order For a Packet of Books, 6 cents per 4 leaire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Book Packets must not exceed two feet Office than that in which the Order was originally drawn, the transfer will be granted, provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be which will be deducted from the amount of

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# Post-Office Notifications.

12.—But when it is desired that my for Europe, &q., on PHURSDAY, the egrowin the name of the Remitter or Payce 19th August at 9 A.M., and the Post should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the be renewed for payment in the Country is application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application (must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have re-

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ference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original, or repewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been can-Further, late letters (but Letters only) ad- celled at the Office on which the Order was

of 48 cents each, in addition to the for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July otherwise the Order will become lapsed Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence and a new Order (for which a second Comof Box Holders will be received at the mission, to be deducted from the amount window set apart for the purpose, on of the Order, will be charged) will become

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I. Bye-Laws and Local Rules. H. By Laws and Rules ticossary for the better ordering of pilotage matters at the Ports are to be drawn up by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consuls and Chamber of Commerce, with whom also it rests in the same way to fix the number of Pilots, tariff of charges, and define the limits of the Pilotage ground. 2.—The number of Pilots for the Port of

Swatow shall be six: 3.-The Pilotage ground for the Port of Swatow shall be off Bill Islet to the lower prentice on board. limit of the anchorage Kahchio Point, 4. The rates of pilotage shall be as follows for all sized vessels between the limits the Pilotage ground: steamers or sailing ressels, \$2.50 per foot English measurement To Harbour Pilot for Berthing or Unberth ing, 50 cents per foot English measure

GENERAL REGULATION II, II. Pilote Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens or proteggs of Treaty Powers shall, equally with Natives of China, and without distinction of nationality, be eligible for appointment when vacancies 7s occur, by the Board of Appointment, subject to the General Regulations now issued. 11s and the Bye-Laws to be under them enforced at the several Ports respectively. GENERAL REGULATION III.

> III. Board of Appointment, how to be The Board of Appointment shall consist of the Harbour Master as President, the or a) Sepior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot, by the Harhour Master, from a list prepared and published by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consuls and Chambers of

GENERAL REGULATION IV Vacancies: how to be filled up. 1.-Whenever there may be a vacancy amnog the Pilots, it shall be duly notified in the local prints ; and eight days afterwards the Board of Appointment shall proceed to fill it up by a competitive examination 2. The Board may refuse to admit he examination any one who, daving one been a Licensed Pilot, has had his License withdrawn, and also any candidate who is unable to procure Consular Certificates as

to Character, &c. 3.—The examination shall be public and gratuitous, and the vacancies shall be given to the most competent among the candidates, without distinction of nationality provided always the competency of the firs 4.—The Consul concerned may in person,

or by deputy, be present and take part in he examination of candidates 5. The majority of the votes of the admission of candidates for Pilots Licenses, each member baving one vote in the Ballot, but in the absence of the Consul concerned the Harbour Master shall have a

GENERAL REGULATION V. Pilots' Licenses, by whom to be issued. 1.-Pilots' Licenses shall be issued by the Commissioner of Customs in the name and of Chins shall subsequently be vised and registered at the Consulate concerned. 2 Every Licensed Pilot shall be given a printed copy of the General Regulations and Local Rules and shall produce the same as well as his License when required.

3.—On the first of July each year every Pilot shall pay the sum of Ten Haikwan Taels for the renewal of his License. GREBRAL REGULATION VI. Apprentice Pilots: how to be taken. 1:-It shall be allowable for each License

Pilot to take an apprentice, for whom he shall be responsible; on the application Pilots, the Harbour Master will supply Apprentices with special certificates; 2. When the circumstances of the Port appear to demand it; the Harbour Master may authorize apprentices to act temporarily and within certain limits, as Pilots provided they have received certificates o

competency from the Board of Appoint-GENERAL REGULATION VII.

Licensed Pilots 1 to whom subordinated Unlicensed Piloting, de. 1.-Licensed Pilots may carry on their usiness either singly or in Companies They must pay due respect to the wishes and instructions of the Harbour Master under whose order and control they placed, and who is invested with power suspend or diamiss, subject to an appeal to the Consul concerned; when the Pilot is

Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within 2. If guilty of any misconduct for which Consular punishment has been inflicted, or if proved to have committed any offence soninst) Revenue Laws, the individue concerned may be suspended or dismissed by the Harbour Master, subject to an aupeal to his Consul. It a Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within three days.

3.—Any one photing without a License shall be subject to prosecution before his own authorities, who will deal with offender in accordance with the Laws of his tf | Country. Any Pilot lending his License another will be proceeded against and dealt with in the same way, in addition to forfeit-

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Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory on registered Pilot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits, employes belonging to either Customs or Harbour Master's Departments, with such stores as may be wanted for either Light-houses or Light ships.

2.—Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay a fee of Twenty Tasks for renewal of License on the first of July each year. 3.—In case of a Pilot going off in an un-

registered Boat, he will be authorized to carry the Pilot Boat Flag doring the time he is on board; but no Pilot is authorised to cruize in an unregistered Boat, without special permission from the Harbour Mad-

4. The owner or hirer of any unregistered Boat making use of a Pilot Flag, and not having a Licensed Pilot on board, shall be prosecuted before the authorities to whom he is amenable, or whose Flag or national Ensign he has the right to use. 5.-A registered Pilot Boat is not permitted to fly the Pilot Flag, save when there is either a Licensed Pilot or certificated Ap-

GENERAL REGULATION IX. Flags to be exhibited on arrival. When nearing the anchorage the Pilot shall cause to be exhibited-A Red and White Flag (No. 3), if the vessel is from Hongkong, Japan, or any Chinese Port A Blue and White Flag (No. 2), if from

A Yellow and Blue (No. 10), if the vessel is in ballast, A Red Swallow Tail (No. 5), if the vessel has gunpowder or other combustibles on

GENERAL REGULATION X.

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Harbour Pilots: Vessels in Harbour.

1.—The duties of the Harbour Pilot where such exists, will be to take charge of vessels at the outer limit of the anchorage, berth them in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Master's Department, take charge of vessels shifting berth, going in and out of dock, or to and from a wharf or out of the anchorage, and to assist and report to the Harbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port, and the conservancy of the river

of Commanding Officers and Consignees and the entrance working or clearance of vessels taking berths not assigned to them, shall be stopped by the Customs until the Harbour Masters orders are complied with. with orders received from the Harbour Master, and they are not to remove from the anchorage without his permission.

upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to Notes on behalf of the Chinese Government; La- and Queries on China and Japan, published consequissued to Pilots not being natives monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese.

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known in India. (From the "London Examiner," May 16, 1868.)

uide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. B. Dennys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds considerably enhance its value. \* \* \* We have thus given in outline some of

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